

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant: HINTSCHE *et al.*

Title: DETECTION OF MOLECULES AND MOLECULE COMPLEXES

Appl. No.: 09/142,660

Filing Date: December 23, 1998

Examiner: Bradley L. Sisson

Art Unit: 1655



PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that an extension of time for the period indicated below be granted in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 to take the action required in the application identified in caption, as reflected by the papers submitted herewith.

<u> X </u>	First Month	\$110 (\$ 55)*
<u> X </u>	Second Month	\$270 (\$135)*
<u> X </u>	Third Month	\$490 (\$245)*
<u> </u>	Fourth Month	\$490 (\$245)*
<u> </u>	Fifth Month	\$490 (\$245)*

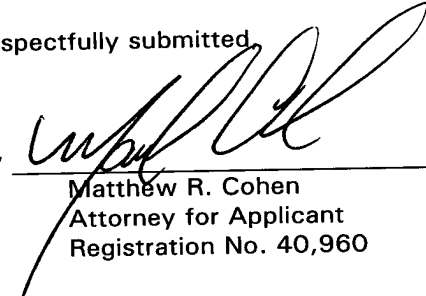
* (Small Entity) TOTAL FEE: \$435.00

A check in the amount of the above Total Fee is attached. This amount is believed to be correct; however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. If one or more (additional) extension(s) of time is/are required for the filing of this paper, such extension(s) is/are hereby expressly petitioned for and the Commissioner is authorized to charge the required fee to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: June 8, 2000

By


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